

Directory Photo Sessions

The directory team is offering in person photo sessions for anyone who needs their photo taken for the updated version of the St. Mark’s online directory. These sessions will be in the prayer garden on May 1 from 9:30 -10:00, and in front of the CLC on May 15 from 10:30 -11:00. Please contact Martha Hand at: 601-540-5422 to schedule a personal session and/or for more info.

Printed copies of the updated directory will be available in June for a cost of \$10.00. Call the church office to order your copy.

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St. Mark's UMC Family Talent Show

We know you've got hidden talent--It's your time to shine!
Wednesday, May 11, 2022, at 6:00pm, right after Wednesday Night Supper,
St. Mark's UMC will host a talent show for all ages and variety of talents.
Join us in the Christian Life Center (CLC) for a casual night of fun!

And if you want to display your hidden talent, complete the form at <https://forms.gle/zcK3ffTynLBrzdG66>. All talents! All ages! All fun!

THE STEWARDSHIP REPORT: 4/24/2022

TOTAL OPERATING BUDGET	\$1,430,906.00
AMOUNT RECEIVED YTD	\$406,907.00
AMOUNT EXPENDED YTD	\$375,942.00
OFFERING FOR 4/24/2022	\$ 8,380.00

Thank you for your continued support of St. Mark’s UMC Ministries!

St. Mark’s has added Shelby Giving as a tool for contributions. Please click on the QR code to the right with your smartphone in order to access the Shelby Giving application on your mobile phone.
Thank you for your continued support of St. Mark’s UMC and our ministries!



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Warren Coile..... Senior Pastor
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Janet Langley.....Director of Nurture & Outreach
Darlene Baker..... Music Assistant/Pianist
Jason Boyd..... Music Assistant/Organist
Stephen Craig 11th hour Worship Leader
Thelma Lorentz..... Administrative Assistant

Mark Your Calendars...Upcoming Events @ SMUMC

In Person Worship Services (With a Safe Social Distance)

Sunday School begins at 9:30 am

Nursery is available ages up to & including 2yrs.

Today - SUNDAY, MAY 1

8:20 am Trad. Worship (1) (Greeters)
(Livestream on St. Mark’ FB or Saintmarksum.org)
9:30 am Sunday School (1+2+4)
9:30 am Youth SS (4)
10:45 am Trad. Worship (1) (Greeters)
10:45 am 11th Hour Worship (5) (Greeters)
(Livestream on St. Mark’ FB or Saintmarksum.org)
12:00 pm Children’s Council Meeting (3-Parlor)
12:00 pm Garage Sale Pre-Setup (4+5)
4:00 pm Finance Committee Mtg (1-Robe Rm.)
No - DRIVEN Band Practice (5)
4 pm – 8 pm Garage Sale Set-Up (4+5)
5:00 pm Handbells (1)

MONDAY, MAY 2

10:00 am Women’s Bible Study (1-Choir Rm.)
5:30 pm SPRC Meeting (1-Robe Rm.)
7:00 pm AA (2)

TUESDAY, MAY 3

1:00 pm Ladies Prayer Group (1-Robe Room)
6:30 pm Caregiver Study (1-Robe Rm.)

WEDNESDAY, MAY 4

7:00 am Men’s Prayer Group (2)
11:45 am Noonday Hour of Prayer (1)
3:30 pm 5th Block (4+5)
No - Wednesday Night Supper (due to Garage Sale set-up)
5:45 pm Kids Workshop (3)
6:00 pm Youth FUEL (4)
6:00 pm Adult Bible Study (2 / Zoom)
6:00 pm Men’s Ministry (2 – w110)
6:00 pm Women’s Bible Study (2-w104)
6:00 pm 11th Hour Praise Team Practice (5)
7:00 pm Choir Practice (1)

THURSDAY, MAY 5 – National Day of Prayer

7 am – 7 pm National Day of Prayer (1-Sanctuary)
7:00 pm AA (2)

FRIDAY, MAY 6

5 pm – 9 pm Garage Sale (4 + 5)

SATURDAY, MAY 7

7 am – 1 pm Garage Sale (4 + 5)
8 am – BSA Troop 416 – Car Wash (northside drive-thru)

SUNDAY, MAY 8 – Compassion Sunday / Mother’s Day

8:20 am Trad. Worship (1) (Greeters)
(Livestream on St. Mark’ FB or Saintmarksum.org)
9:30 am Sunday School (1+2+4)
9:30 am Kid’s Worship (3 - A102/A104)
9:30 am Youth SS (4)
10:45 am Trad. Worship (1) (Greeters)
10:45 am 11th Hour Worship (5) (Greeters)
(Livestream on St. Mark’ FB or Saintmarksum.org)
4:30 pm DRIVEN Band Practice (5)
5:00 pm Handbells (1)
No MERGE tonight

DAILY BIBLE READINGS

SUNDAY, MAY 1

am John 21:1-19
pm Jeremiah 32:36-41

MONDAY, MAY 2

Revelation 6, John 10:1-10,
Psalm 23

TUESDAY, MAY 3

Revelation 7, John 10:11-18

WEDNESDAY, MAY 4

Acts 9:32-43, John 10:22-30

THURSDAY, MAY 5

Acts 10:1-23, Revelation 11:15-19

FRIDAY, MAY 6

Acts 10:23-48, Revelation 19:6-10

SATURDAY, MAY 7

Numbers 27:12-23,
Revelation 19:11-16

SUNDAY, MAY 8

am John 10:22-30
pm Revelation 20

KEY:
1 – Sanctuary building
2 – Wesley – adult education
3 – Asbury – children’s education
4 – SWH – youth building
5 – CLC – Christian Life Center

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Third Sunday of Easter

May 1, 2022

+Please stand if you are comfortable doing so

Gathering and Announcements

Introit Children’s Choir

+Opening Hymn The Day of Resurrection # 303

+Opening Prayer

+Act of Praise He Is Lord # 177

Invitation to Baptism (10:45) Come Be Baptized

Holy Baptism (10:45) Baptismal Covenant II # 39

Mila Mae Douglas

Anthem A Blessing Choir

Todd Bobo, saxophone

+Hymn Jesus Calls Us # 398
vv. 1, 2 & 4

Sermon The Greatest Resignation Rev. Coile
John 21:1-19

Morning Prayer

Offertory

+Doxology Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow # 94

+Great Thanksgiving

The Lord’s Prayer

Communion Music Saxophone Trio
Todd Bobo, Lyndon Bobo, and Ben Curry

+Closing Hymn Alleluia, Alleluia # 162
vv. 1 & 2

+Benediction

Holy Communion immediately follows 8:20 service except on first Sundays.
We are always pleased to welcome new members. If you wish to unite with our church family today, please come forward during the singing of the last hymn; or you may speak to one of the ministers following the benediction.

Prayer Concerns...

As part of our daily prayers, we want to include our future blessings and their parents.
Please remember the following couples in your prayers:

Lauren & Chuck Crenshaw

Mackenzie (Carney) & Trevor Bradford

Members Needing Prayers:

Marian Crawford	Fred Price	Brad Sessums
Steve K. Kowalski	Kathy Roberts	Larry Sullivan
Jonnie Norton	Will Rogers	Pat Teer



Family & Friends:

Week of: 4/24/22

Becky Akers (John Akers)	Kathy King (Ed Lancaster)
Glenn Antee (Mary Jo Antee)	Tanya Lofton (Megan Howe)
Tay Blue & Family (Megan & Blake Howe)	Oscar McGough (Ryan McGough)
William & Marjory Chasteen (Ed Lancaster)	Louis Mosely (Myrna Myrick)
Victoria Farr (Carolyn Farr)	Niece & Family (Elaine Owens)
Andrea Helm (Jeannie Melton)	Kimberly Oakes (Jane Oakes)
Donna Hill (Sandra & Mac McGee)	Darlene Schroder
Hitselberger Family (Chris Zachow)	Deborah Vaughan (June Bragg)
James Walker Hodge (Charlinda Hall)	Sarah Walker (Sister of Jerry Klomprens)
	Albert White (Thomas Coleman)

3/6/22
Charlotte Lapiere (Samantha Briggs)

Long Term Prayers:

John Adair	Raymond Hall	Dixie Miller
Eva Brown	Bill Hutto	June Miracle
Tinker Colwell	Edith Laird	Janette Thomas
Minnie Franklin	Dot Legate	Linda Thomas
Martha Gower	Ruth Lenoir	Frances Upchurch
Jean Gunnell	Melba Lichte	Mike & Connie Weaver
		Jane Wilkerson

Amanda Hearn Biek (Karen Williams)	Marie Nichols (Gwen Robertson)
Maxine Creel (Becky Stevenson)	Lori McLendon Parker (Charlinda & Raymond Hall)
Ruby Galmore (Beverly McClure)	Joan Melchiors (Cynthia Morgan)
David Glasscock, (Glasscock Family)	Lori Parker (April & Seth Hall Richards)
Leon Elzey (Sandra Bates)	Jimmy Perkins (Betsy Watson)
Bill Harris (Suzanne Gural)	Jeannette Rodriguez (Vicky & Kim Rohr)
Jason Heins (Linda Breedlove)	Lovie Thomas (Cynthia Morgan)
Rich King (Karen Reed)	Jaxon Williams (Jack Williams)
Gale Landry (Vicky & Kim Rohr)	Hubert & Vicki Wright (Linda Finley)
Martin Levitt (McGinnis)	

Serving our Country:

Jason Attaway, Ethan Avent, Cameron Barr, Leon Davis, Noah Duncan,
Jamie Duvall, Jay Ellzey, Noah Givens, Boston Little, Cooper Little, Drew Little,
Nathan Muirhead, Frank Porter, Casey Powell, Joshua Schmitz, Mark Sills

National Day of Prayer
Thursday, May 5th

In Sanctuary From: 7 am – 7 pm

Please contact: Janet Langley to schedule a prayer time

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Garage Sale is COMING! May 6 & 7 (CLC + SWH)
Set Up Week begins: May 1st

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StewPot Ministries - Service Week - Volunteers Needed
St. Marks is scheduled to work in the pantry the week of May 2-6,
from 9:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.
4-5 volunteers would be needed each day.

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Compassion Sunday is May 8th
St. Mark’s – will you help us sponsor 50 children?
Please contact April Hurley at april@fidelitymort.com or
Becky Barnhill at beckylbarnhill@gmail.com for details.

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Trendsetters for anyone 50+ upcoming opportunities...
Downton Abby – “The Motion Picture”
Mon. May 9th 1-4 pm in our CLC

Contact Rev. Sandra Thomas or call Church Office for more details
regarding Trendsetter & trip opportunities! 601-992-2131
or email Sandra@saintmarksum.org

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St. Mark’s Family Talent Show – May 11th in CLC at 6 pm

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Rise AGAINST HUNGER **RISE AGAINST HUNGER**
Saturday, MAY 14th St. Mark’s – CLC From 9 AM – 12 PM
Join us for this special Meal Packaging Event! Please consider joining the fun!

There is a job for everyone to help pack 30,000 meals for the hungry.
Our Donation goal is \$12,900. We will need a Set-Up Team on Friday
and a Clean-Up Team on Saturday Sign-up sheets are in Church Office or go to:
<https://rah.secure.force.com/events/Host?id=7013Z0000002KrTZ>
to volunteer for our Meal Packaging Event on May 14th.

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Upcoming **Cursillo Experience** @ Camp Wesley Pines in Gallman, MS:



May 19-22 Cursillo #235
August 18-21 Cursillo #236
December 1-4 Cursillo # 238

Please contact Beth Griffith @ 601-564-3236 or
Helen Morrison @ 601-260-4114 or call church office for further details.

Dear DRIVEN FAM...

– Word from Our Sponsor: “For nothing
is impossible with God.” – Luke



Youth Ministry ~ Youth Sunday School (Rush Hour) meets
every Sunday morning from 9:30-10:30 (SWH) cereal buffet
DRIVEN Youth - For all students in 6th-12th grades.

May 1st - No MERGE – note - We will have Garage Sale Set-up from 4 – 8 pm

5th Block (after school hang time) Wednesdays ~ 3:30-5:30

FUEL (high octane for your soul midweek) Wednesdays ~ 5:30 – 7:00 pm

Garage Sale is COMING! May 6 & 7, 2022! Something for everyone!
Friday, May 6 – 5p-9p (\$5 entry fee)/ Saturday, May 7 – 7 am – 1:00 pm
(no entry fee)

Garage Sale - Set up begins Sunday, May 1 @ 4 pm (pizza provided)
WE NEED LOTS OF HELP TO MAKE THIS HAPPEN! Please Sign Up!
Please contact Jeanne (jeanne@saintmarksum.org) for more info.

CALLING ALL GRADUATES! Graduate Recognition Sunday is May 15th!
All photos, info & RSVPs are due Sun., May 8.

Centrifuge Summer Camp @ Panama City Beach, FL! June 27 – July 1~ Cost:
\$385 (\$75 non-refundable deposit due now to guarantee/reserve spot)
(This camp is for current 6th-12th graders) Please contact Jeanne
(jeanne@saintmarksum.org) for details and to register.

Stay in the know!!!

Please contact Jeanne Chapman at jeanne@saintmarksum.org for more info!

Children & Family Ministries...

All activities are for PreK through 5th Grade

No Children’s Church – May 1
(Does not meet on Communion Sundays.)

Acolytes for May 1st
8:20 – James Robinson & Parker Howe
10:45 – Josh Grant & Owen Grant

Weds., Workshops
@ 5:45 – 7 pm in the Big Room / Asbury Hall. Note: May 4th is our last Weds. Workshop
and we will be meeting outside the CLC at 5:30 pm for Pizza, Games & May Day fun!

Sunday School - Children's Choir Practice for Easter Programs @ 9:30 AM
during Sunday School Hour. (Performing on May 1 – all three Worship Services)
Any questions email Anna McGough at Anna@saintmarksum.org

May 1st Children’s Council Meeting @ 12 noon in Big Room / Asbury Hall

June 1st – St. Mark’s Family – Baseball Night @ MS Braves Game!

June 12-15 – Make Waves VBS Week! Register now!

Contact Anna McGough office #: 601-992-2131 (Ext. 109)
Or email Anna@saintmarksum.org for more information!

